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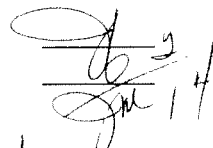
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Mary Lou Munts Resolution Draft (Madeleine)

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Whereas, Mary Lou Rogers was born on August 21, 1924 in Chicago, Ill.; attended Swarthmore College in Pennsylvania; took a leave of absence to work on the congressional campaign of Vernon O' Rourke; completed her undergraduate studies and earned a master's degree in economics at the University of Chicago in 1947; and earned a law degree from the University of Wisconsin – Madison in 1976; and

Whereas, Mary Lou Rogers married Raymond Munts in 1947 and together they had three children; and

Whereas, she took part as an activist in critical times throughout United States history, such as the Civil Rights movement and Vietnam War protests; and

Whereas, Mary Lou Munts ran for the State Assembly to be a citizens' lobbyist and public interest legislator and became just that; and

Whereas, during her tenure in the State Assembly she authored and passed the Protective Services Act to defend the rights of people with disabilities; the Mental Health Act to extend rights, services, and protections to people who struggled to get care; and legislation to reform the state's marital property law by giving men and women the same claims to property in a marriage; and

Whereas, Mary Lou Munts chaired the Assembly Committee on Environmental Quality and wrote groundbreaking legislation on the siting of power plants, water quality, and recycling; and

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Whereas, Mary Lou Munts was widely known for her bi-partisan work, her ability to "find consensus when other wouldn't even make a stab at it," and her infallible energy; and

Whereas, Mary Lou Munts passed away December 22, 2013 at the age of 89; now, therefore be it

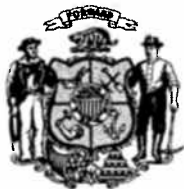
Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, that the members of the Wisconsin legislature commend the public service that Mary Lou Munts contributed to her community, express their sorrow at her death, and extend their condolences to her family and friends.

Links/Info used:

-MJS article, <http://www.jsonline.com/news/obituaries/as-a-wisconsin-legislator-mary-lou-munts-was-queen-of-consensus-b99178644z1-239529881.html>

-WI Women's Network bio, <http://wiwomensnetwork.org/about/history/events/swoty/1986>

-Cap Times article, http://host.madison.com/news/opinion/editorial/mary-lou-munts-and-the-model-of-progressive-government/article_7711b4cc-184a-50a1-b551-e8583df08194.html



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PRELIMINARY DRAFT - NOT READY FOR INTRODUCTION
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Barman, Mike

From: Peloquin, Traci
Sent: Monday, February 17, 2014 11:25 AM
To: LRB.Legal
Subject: Draft Review: LRB -4274/1 Topic: Mary Lou Munts

Thank you!

Please Jacket LRB -4274/1 for the ASSEMBLY.

Miller, Steve

From: Peloquin, Traci
Sent: Tuesday, February 18, 2014 3:45 PM
To: Miller, Steve
Subject: FW: Message for Steve Miller
Attachments: Munts - resolution.docx

I'm very sorry, but I need to have this resolution redrafted. The Historical Society indicated Ms. Munts and her husband had three children. They have three surviving adult children, but there was a fourth child who died as a teenager. I think it would be easier to redraft the resolution to change the number of children from "three" to "four" rather than trying to do an amendment.

Thank you!

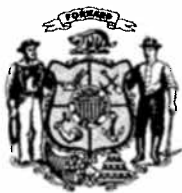
Traci Peloquin, Research Assistant
Office of State Representative Terese Berceau

From: Peloquin, Traci
Sent: Thursday, February 13, 2014 1:33 PM
To: 'LRB.Legal@legis.wisconsin.gov'
Subject: Message for Steve Miller

Representative Berceau would like to get this drafted as a Joint Resolution.

Thank you!!

Traci Peloquin, Research Assistant
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